The University of Southern Queensland
Course Specification

Description: Music Teaching D

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Academic Group: FOART
Academic Org: FOA005
HECS Band: 1
ASCED Code: 100101

STAFFING
Examiner: Wendy Lorenz
Moderator: Martin Crook
Team Members: Rhod McNeill, Andrew Lorenz, Phillip Gearing.

PRE-REQUISITES
Pre-requisite: MUS 4043

RATIONALE
A Master degree program should include the opportunity for students to identify an issue relevant to their specialisation, conceptualise and carry out research on the issue, and communicate about it in written and oral form.

SYNOPSIS
This course provides the opportunity for students to prepare a dissertation on a specific aspect related to the teaching of their instrument/voice.

OBJECTIVES
On successful completion of this course students will be able to:

- demonstrate the ability to conceptualise, research and communicate on a specific topic related to teaching.

TOPICS

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selecting appropriate research methods; evaluating information; forming conclusions; dissertation writing; oral presentation.

**TEXT and MATERIALS required to be PURCHASED or ACCESSED:**

Books can be ordered by fax or telephone. For costs and further details use the 'Book Search' facility at http://bookshop.usq.edu.au by entering the author or title of the text.


**REFERENCE MATERIALS**

Reference materials are materials that, if accessed by students, may improve their knowledge and understanding of the material in the course and enrich their learning experience.


**STUDENT WORKLOAD REQUIREMENTS**

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**ASSESSMENT DETAILS**

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**NOTES:**

1. Refer to Course Specifications for information about assignment due dates and assessment marking.
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**OTHER REQUIREMENTS**

1. In order to obtain an overall passing grade, a pass is required in each item of assessment.
2. Unless approval for late submission has been obtained, assignments submitted after the due date, and without prior approval of an extension from the examiner, will be penalised at the rate of 10% per working day up to 5 days, after which a grade of zero will be awarded. For internal students assignments are due by 4.00pm on the due date. Extension requests must be made in writing no later than 24 hours before the due time, and supported by documented evidence, eg medical certificate.